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Police Charge Suspect in Bank Robbery

Howard County Police charged a suspect today with robbing a Columbia bank yesterday. Victor Morrison, 30, of the 7200 block of Rain Flower Way in Columbia turned himself in at police headquarters this morning.

An officer saw Morrison around 6 a.m. walking toward the police station. The officer approached Morrison, who told her he was there to turn himself in. The officer recognized Morrison as the suspect in the bank robbery and placed him under arrest.

Yesterday, police received a report that a man entered the Wachovia Bank in the 8800 block of Centre Park Dr. around 11:48 a.m., approached a teller, implied he had a gun and demanded cash. The suspect fled in an unknown direction with an undisclosed amount of money. No one was injured or reported seeing a weapon.

Morrison has been charged with robbery, second degree assault and theft.

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